

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Hideki SHIMIZU et al.**

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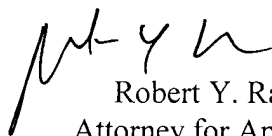
Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated April 15, 2009 for one month from July 15, 2009 to August 15, 2009.

Attached please find payment in the amount of \$130.00 for the cost of the extension of time. If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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